

I write in opposition to the "Broadcast Flag" proposal. I have confidence that the FCC will see this as another in series of actions by the entertainment industry to restrict the growth of technology out of fear and shortsightedness.

This industry has opposed color television, personal cassette recorders, VCR's and any other technology that benefits consumers and threatens the industry's absolute control over what and when consumers enjoy music and video.

I urge you to reject this proposal and seek less restrictive methods of allow the entertainment industry to protect their intellectual property.